

NOTE ON XIPHIDIUM NEMORALE *Scudder.*

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This grasshopper is found in abundance along the eastern slope of the Palisades, from August until frost. It inhabits the borders of dry up hill woods and road sides, resting on low shrubs and bushes. It is greenish brown, with an indistinct reddish longitudinal stripe on the top of the head and the pronotum, margined with a very narrow white line on each side; the wing covers are greenish with prominent cross veins and the front margin is blackish; the legs are greenish covered with many red dots. Length about 14 mm. The insect was first described from Iowa.

GEORGE DEXTER BRADFORD, the Corresponding Secretary of the New York Entomological Society, died November 24th, 1894, of typhoid fever, at his home No. 21 Washington Place, New York City. He was born in N. Y. City May 11th, 1873.

In him we have lost an earnest devotee to science and those who knew him have lost a generous and sympathizing friend.

In this place we desire to do no more than record our loss and to fulfill a duty we have laid down for ourselves of noticing the departure of all who have in any way belonged to our Society. Mr. Bradford was early nominated an active member of our Society in which he took a warm interest and was one of the main supporters of our Journal. His loss will be deeply felt and will leave a gap difficult to fill. As an entomologist, Mr. Bradford was full of promise and hopes for future good work; though yet young, he had considerable knowledge, having gained much experience, in his travels to North Carolina, Yellowstone Park, British Columbia, Vancouver Island, Alaska, Egypt and Turkey.

He leaves quite a large collection of insects comprising many thousand specimens which he collected during his travels and obtained through other sources.

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